MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL FUNDS.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE DISTRICT FUND BOARD OF THE BANGALORE DISTRICT, HELD ON THE 15TH AUGUST 1907.

Ex-officio Members.

PRESENT.

Mr. T. Rayalu Chetty, Vice-President and Treasury Officer, Bangalore District, in the Chair.
" C. Rama Rao, Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore Sub-Division.
" T. Chokkanna, do Dodballapur do.
" K. N. Veerabhadraiya, Deputy Inspector of Schools.

ABSENT.

Mr. D. Devaraj Urs, President, on other duty at Kankanhalli.
" C. Devaraj Urs, Assistant Commissioner, Closepet Sub-Division, on other duty.
" B. S. Venkatachar, Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division.
" G. David, District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Bangalore District.

Non-official Members.

PRESENT.

Mr. Shanbhog Karigiriyappa, Dodballapur Taluk.
" D. Dasappa, Nelamangala Taluk.
" K. Krishnamurti Rao, Magadi Taluk.
" Kare Bhama Narasimha Chetti, Closepet Sub-Taluk.
" K. Puttappa, Anekal Taluk.
" D. Srikanta Rao, Devanhalli Taluk.
" K. Subbanna, Bangalore and Nelamangala Taluks.
" Shanbhog Sinappa, Hoskote and Anekal Taluks.
" Jodidar Ramachandrappa, Devanhalli and Dodballapur Taluks.

ABSENT.

Mr. Velu Mudaliar, Bangalore Taluk.
" Yalakki Gowda, Kankanhalli Taluk.
" Sowcar Mastan Sab, Channapatna Taluk, owing to sickness.
" Puttamaste Gowda, Channapatna and Kankanhalli Taluks.
" Balaji Rao, Magadi and Closepet Sub-Taluk, owing to sickness.

1. Government Order No. 8064-7—L. B. 280-06-4, dated 12th March 1907, regarding the cattle show held in connection with the Ghati Subramanyaswami temple in the Dodballapur Taluk, and directing the submission of the Board's resolution as regards the formation of a local committee for conducting the show.

Read, and adopted Dodballapur Divisional Officer's yadi No. 172, dated 13th August 1907, *re* the formation of a local committee for the conduct of the show held in connection with the Ghati Subramanyaswami Jatra. The Board are of opinion that the name of Mr. Karigiriappa, District Board Member, should be included in the list of the Committee Members. The Executive Engineer has been requested to submit an estimate to improve the road.

2. Government Order No. 11966-74—L. B. 472-06-2, dated the 18th June 1907, *in re* the holding of a sante at Vadavatta in the Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Resolved that the sante be held on Thursdays.

3. Docket No. 11373—Ml. 69-06-9, dated 1st June 1907, from the Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments, forwarding for disposal a reminder petition from Gurupadappa, agent of Sri Vani Book Depot, Bangalore City, praying for the grant of suitable help for the free dispensary maintained by him.

Resolved that the Board are not prepared to render any help to the free dispensary maintained by Gurupadappa.

4. Secretary's docket No. 11921—Medl. 158-06-4, dated the 17th June 1907, forwarding, for consideration of the Board, copies of the Senior Surgeon's letter No. G. 1008, dated 30th May 1907, and its enclosure, in the matter of providing bath rooms to each of the wards attached to the dispensary at Channapatna.

Resolved that statistics be called for as to the number of patients that frequented the wards for the past three years to enable the Board to consider the necessity or otherwise of providing bath rooms to each of the wards attached to the Dispensary.

5. Docket No. 12079—L. B. 165-06-10, dated the 24th June 1907, from the Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments, *in re* the locating of Vartur Dispensary at Ramagondahalli.

Resolved that a report be called for from the Divisional Officer as to what accommodation is available at Ramagondahalli for locating the dispensary in question.

6. Government Order No. 12305-8—L. B. 60-06-6, dated the 27th June 1907, sanctioning Rs. 250 towards the annual maintenance charges of the road leading from Ivarkhandapur to the 8th mile on the Bangalore-Tumkur road, out of District Funds.

Read and recorded.

7. Government Order No. 455-64—L. B. 185-06-11, dated the 15th July 1907, intimating that no hard and fast rule could be adopted for setting apart a portion of Local Funds towards the sanitary improvements of villages containing more than 50 houses, as this duty entirely devolves on the District Boards, to whom the villagers should apply for necessary help

Read and recorded.

8. Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner's docket No. 7061, dated 27th—28th May 1907, requesting to obtain Government sanction for the payment of Rs. 86-10-3 out of District Funds incurred for the construction of a shed for locating the dispensary outside Vartur during the outbreak of plague there.

Resolved that the matter be sent up to Government for orders. The Board are still of opinion that the charge should be met out of plague funds.

9. Senior Surgeon's docket No. 7408, dated 8th—10th June 1907, requesting to obtain sanction of Government for the increase of pay of Re. 1 to each of the menials attached to the Kankanhalli Dispensary.

Resolved that Government be moved to sanction the increase of pay only to the toti.

10. Letter No. 9154-6—J. 85, dated 11th June 1907, from the Inspector-General of Education requesting to be informed if contingent charges not exceeding Rs. 10 a month, required in connection with the teaching of sericulture, can be paid from funds at the Deputy Commissioner's disposal.

Resolved that the Board are not prepared to meet the charge out of District Funds.

11. Petition from the raiyats and setties, etc., of Huskur village, Anekal Taluk, praying for permission to hold sante at Huskur on Wednesdays instead of on Fridays.

Resolved that the opinion of the Divisional Officer be called for in the matter.

12. Kanarese yadi No. 1164, dated 24th June 1907, from the Bangalore Division Officer, recommending that arrangements be made to send the Hospital Assistant of Soldevanhalli to Hessarghatta once a week, for administering medicine to the villagers.

Resolved that the Senior Surgeon be addressed in the matter.

13. Kanarese yadi No. 1248 of 8th February 1907, from the Assistant Commissioner, Closepet Division, requesting sanction to incur an expenditure of Rs. 30 for the construction of sopana stone steps to the Kanara river at Mallur in the Channapatna Taluk.

Resolved that the amount may be sanctioned.

14. List of incomplete District Fund works amounting to Rs. 14,284-13-3 to be undertaken during the year 1907-08.

Read and passed.

15. Election of District Board Members for the ensuing Dasara Representative Assembly.

Resolved that Mr. K. Subbanna of Bangalore Taluk and Mr. Sondekoppa Dasappa of Nelamangala Taluk be elected as members for the ensuing Dasara Representative Assembly as the result of votes among the non-official Members present.

16. Government Order No. 1352-9—L. B. 458-06-2, dated 10th August 1907, stating that as Government have sanctioned a grant of Rs. 500 a year for five years from the Local Funds General, it is not necessary that individual Boards also should contribute to the Pasteur Institute at Coonoor.

Read and recorded.

Resolved that the next meeting be held on Saturday the 9th November 1907.

T. RAYALU CHETTY,
For *President, District Board.*